

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## OLATHE MAN CHARGED WITH ENTICING MINOR TO ENGAGE IN SEX

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that an Olathe, Kan., man was charged in federal court today with enticing a minor to engage in sex.

**Shawn Jay Glazier**, 34, of Olathe, was charged in a criminal complaint filed in federal court this afternoon in Kansas City.

The criminal complaint alleges that **Glazier** used a computer to entice a minor to engage in sexual activity between April 14 and 16, 2005, for which he could be charged with statutory rape.

According to an affidavit filed in support of the criminal complaint, **Glazier** made contact with who he thought was a 14-year-old female, actually a law enforcement officer posing as a 14-year-old female, on April 14, 2005. Using the Internet, **Glazier** asked the girl her age, confirmed that she was 14, provided her his telephone number and then made arrangements to travel to her Kansas City, Mo., residence on April 15, 2005, to engage in sex, the affidavit alleges. At the same time, **Glazier** told the girl that he would bring condoms, the affidavit states.

On April 15, 2005, the law enforcement officer posing as the 14-year-old girl contacted **Glazier**, told him she was home from school and provided him her address so they could meet, according to the affidavit. **Glazier** responded by saying that he would leave immediately, the affidavit states.

Shortly after, **Glazier** was arrested upon his arrival at the Kansas City, Mo., address that the law enforcement officer acting as a 14-year-old girl provided to him. Upon conducting a search of his person, law enforcement officers discovered eight condoms in his possession.

The charge contained in the criminal complaint is simply an accusation and not evidence of guilt. Evidence supporting the charge must presented to a federal jury, whose duty is to determine guilt or innocense.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Katharine Fincham. It was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation.

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